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## Amendments to the Claims:

- 1. (Currently amended) An auxiliary shelf adjustment mechanism comprising:
  - A. a first member having a plurality of surfaces mounted on the end of an auxiliary support mechanism distal to the <u>a</u> mounting member of the auxiliary support mechanism, said first member having a first elongated slot on one of said first member surfaces;
  - B. a second member having a plurality of surfaces slideably enveloping said first member, said second member having a second elongated slot on a surface said second member adjacent to the surface of said first member having said first elongated slot wherein one of said first and second elongated slots is substantially parallel to a surface of said second member and the other elongated slot substantially forms an acute angle with the substantially parallel slot;
  - C. a third member pivotally joined to (a) the end of an auxiliary support mechanism distal to the mounting member of the auxiliary support mechanism and (b) said first member, and said third member is movably attached to said second member; and
  - D. a spring <u>means member</u> mounted on said third member in a manner effective to urge said third member into a upward position.
- 2. (Currently amended) An auxiliary support mechanism having a mechanism to adjust the an angle of the auxiliary shelf of said auxiliary support mechanism comprising:
  - A. a mounting member attachable to a primary support structure;
  - B. a first link member connected to said mounting member at a first end of said first link member;
  - C. a second link member connected to said mounting member at a first end of said second link member;
  - D. a distal bracket member connected to the ends of said first and second link members distal to said mounting member;
  - E. an auxiliary shelf support coupled to said distal bracket member;
  - F. a substantially flat auxiliary shelf mounted on said auxiliary shelf support; and
  - G. a rotating member rotatably connected to said distal bracket in a manner effective to change the angle between the an plane of said auxiliary shelf and an imaginary

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perpendicular drawn from said primary support structure when said rotating member rotates.